

## CHAPTER 80.

[Published March 10, 1862.]

AN ACT to amend chapter 85 of the general laws of 1860, entitled "an act to limit the liabilities [liability] of counties in certain cases."

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter thirty-five of the general laws of 1860, entitled "an act to limit the liability of counties in certain cases," is hereby amended so as to read as follows, viz.: "Whenever, in a criminal action or proceeding, any attorney or counselor shall defend the person charged with any offense, by order of the court, on the ground that the accused is destitute of the means to employ counsel, the county in which such criminal action or proceeding may arise, or shall be pending, shall only be liable to pay such attorney or counselor for his services, such sum as the court in which such service shall be performed, shall, by an order to be entered in the minutes thereof, certify to be a reasonable compensation therefor, and which sum shall in no case exceed fifteen dollars per day for each day actually occupied in such trial or proceeding."

Court may appoint counsel—his fees.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 8, 1862.

## CHAPTER 81.

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AN ACT to amend chapter 135 of the general laws of 1859, entitled "an act for the relief of Marquette county."

(See supplement to local laws.)